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** If there are any mistakes on this list, please forgive us - and let us know so that we can correct them!*

The SLT Family extends their sincere gratitude and appreciation for the continued support of

The Williams Brice - Edwards Charitable Trust
and the
The Deane and Roger Ackerman Family Fund

If you'd like to become an SLT season member, please contact us at 803-775-2150.

MEET THE CAST

Gandalf ..... John Brawner
Bilbo ..... Walker Craven
Dwalin ..... Tyler Locke
Balin ..... Tyler Metze
Kili ..... Emmy Long
Fili ..... Emily Brawner
Dori ..... Lucy Born
Nori ..... Abby Hodge
Ori ..... Charlie Valley
Oin ..... Noah LaVigne
Gloin ..... Kira Frierson
Bifur ..... Katherine Marzano
Bofur ..... Kaylee Witherspoon
Bombur ..... Sarah Brawner
Thorin ..... Dayshaun Powe
Bert ..... Matt Wilt
Essie ..... Lexi Melton
Tom ..... Kelly Melton
Great Goblin ..... Carlos Waters
Attendant Goblin ..... Zach Lewis
Gollum ..... Adam Reisenauer
Elven Queen ..... Dayton Sestokas
Elven Guard 1 ..... Gabriel Pogue
Elven Guard 2 ..... Zach Lucas
Voice of Smaug ..... William Paul Brown
Smaug Puppeteer ..... Lexi Melton
Goblin 1 ..... Gabriel Pogue
Goblin 2 ..... Zach Lucas

2021 -2022 SUMTER LITTLE THEATRE YOUTH PROGRAM

Theatre training for children and young people is an integral part of our mission, and in our youth theatre school we practice active learning. The elementary and middle school classes introduce the students to creative dramatics and improvisation techniques. The high school students explore character development, script analysis and scene study. At each level, students learn that good actors must work hard and commit to every challenge. That's what it takes to bring a successful play to the Sumter Little Theatre stage.

We present two plays for young audiences each season. We always give special consideration to our students before we open the auditions to the general public. Auditions are held during class. Parents will be informed of the audition dates as they are scheduled.

Classes begin on September 7, 2021 and run through May 26, 2022. Classes are held weekly. We observe all public school holidays and teacher in-service days.

SLT YOUTH THEATRE SCHOOL APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE LOBBY

PRODUCTION NOTES

Director ..... Eric Bultman
Stage Manager ..... Ravyn Ardis
Technical Director ..... Michael Duffy
Sound Design/Technician ..... Michael Bacon
Properties/Costumes ..... Sylvia Pickell
Set Design ..... Michael Duffy
Set Construction ..... Michael Duffy, Todd Warrick, Luther Barnett
Set Painting ..... Carmela Bryan, Gwyn Waters, Morgan Beam, Rob Rock, Gabriel Pogue, Zach Lucas, Michael Duffy
Backstage Crew ..... Zach Lucas, Gabriel Pogue

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A special shout-out and thank you to all of the volunteers who showed up to help our community theatre prepare for reopening. We have missed all of our faithful patrons and friends and we look forward to seeing you all again.

Follow us on Facebook for details about upcoming shows and how you can get involved!

The Sumter Little Theatre is funded in part by grants from the Sumter County Council, the Junior Welfare League of Sumter and the Sumter County Cultural Commission, which receives support from the John and Susan Bennett Art Fund of the Coastal Community Foundation of SC, the South Carolina Arts Commission and the National Endowment for the Arts. As always, we are grateful for their continued support.

There will be a
15-MINUTE INTERMISSION
between Acts 1 and 2. T
In deference to the health and safety of our patrons, the concession area will remain closed for now.

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up next at

SLT Sumter Little THEATRE

For the Grownups

I LOVE YOU. YOU'RE PERFECT! NOW CHANGE.

OCT. 21 - 24 &
28 - 31, 2021

This celebration of the mating game takes on the truths and myths behind that contemporary conundrum known as 'the relationship.'

This hilarious revue pays tribute to those who have loved and lost, to those who have fallen on their face at the portal of romance, to those who have dared to ask, 'Say, what are you doing Saturday night?'

Coming In December

Our perennial Favorite!
The Best Christmas Pageant Ever!